

## WANTS TO TESTIFY AGAINST MURPHY

Lynn J. Arnold, of Albany, Says  
He Can Show Evidence of  
"Fiendish Frame-Up."

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—Declaring that he has been furnished by "ten prominent New Yorkers" with evidence which they thought sufficient to indict Tammany Chief Charles F. Murphy, James J. Frawley and Aaron Levy, for alleged conspiracy, bribery and "the most fiendish frame-up," Lynn J. Arnold, of Albany, this afternoon called on the judicial committee of the assembly to summon Murphy, Frawley, Levy and others to testify before it.

The assembly judicial committee reconvened here today at noon, but because James G. Garrison was not present, bluntly refused Arnold's offer to testify regarding alleged charges by Garrison that the impeachment of Governor Sulzer was obtained through coercion and bribery.

Chairman Goldberger announced that because the assembly sergeant-at-arms had been unable to find Garrison the subpoena issued for him Friday has not been served.

"To hear Judge Arnold now," declared Goldberger, "would be unintelligent. When Assemblymen Gibbs and Schupp, minority members, protested against 'bottling up' Judge Arnold and keeping him 'jumping between Albany and New York,' without hearing him, spectators who filled the room at city hall exploded wildly until threatened to be ejected.

In the statement Arnold has prepared to deliver to the committee, he declared he had seen District Attorney Whitman regarding the evidence he claims to have. He said the evidence should be turned over to Whitman and the Albany district attorney and not the assembly judicial committee.

## AVIATOR WOOD MAY FLY THIS AFTERNOON

Will Soar From Laurel to Fort  
Myer Unless More Engine  
Trouble Develops.

Aviator C. Murvin Wood expects to fly out of Laurel about 5 or 5:30 o'clock this afternoon for Fort Myer.

He will carry out his plan, unless Mechanician Bangs finds further trouble than the engine difficulty which last night brought Wood to earth in a corn field on the farm of C. F. Nicholson, four and a half miles outside of Laurel, in the direction of Baltimore. Wood's engine went dead on him, as he was "joy riding" up beyond Laurel. He has been beneath him looked formidable, but he succeeded in landing in a corn field without injuring either himself or the machine.

But the machine immediately went to work to repair the engine trouble, and prospects this afternoon appear to be good for the flight.

## Woman's Color Scheme Causes Her Arrest

ASHEVILLE, N. C., Aug. 25.—Mrs. Thomas Settle, wife of the Republican leader of the State and member of the Vanderbilt society set, did not like the combination of maroon and white of the new automobile license and of the black body of her car. So she had the figures also enameled white. The first time the car was driven out, a policeman, not versed in color combinations, halted the car.

But the maroon figures made an impossible color combination with the black body of the car. Mrs. Settle was explained to the policeman, but he refused to let her go. She had to explain her ideas of color harmony to the judge. The law requires maroon on a white background to distinguish this year's license from last year's.

## Human Comet to Show At Chesapeake Beach

Nero, The Human Comet, will be the stellar feature of the third annual carnival week at Chesapeake Beach, which opened today. He dives thirty-five feet from the top of a ladder to an inclined slide, where he falls flat, gliding gently to the ground as gracefully as an airship veering to the earth.

Among the other attractions are a troupe of musical trick dogs. Friday night there will be a masquerade ball with prizes. Free cart rides all the week will interest the children.

A baby prize contest and a beauty contest will entertain the beauty-loving. Designed electrical illuminations will turn the boardwalk and park into a fairyland. The circus shows take place at 2-45 and 7-45 o'clock.

## Radio-Torpedo Now Perfect, Says Hammond

GLOSTER, Mass., Aug. 25.—A machine for operating from shore a torpedo by non-interfering radio impulses, which is protected by fifty patents, is now declared perfected by John Hays Hammond, Jr., son of the millionaire mining expert, and in two weeks Government officials from Washington, who have enjoined the young inventor to secrecy, will arrive to superintend navy tests. It was learned this morning.

"If it can be proved conclusively that a \$20,000 article, containing \$12,000,000 worth of secrets," says Young Hammond, "it will be the greatest step toward world peace yet achieved."

## Domestic Ends Life By Inhaling Gas

Belle Miller, colored, domestic in the home of J. William Henry, vice president of Lewis Johnson & Co., bankers, was found dead in the bath room of her employer's home, 2137 R street northwest, this morning with a tube connected with an open gas jet in her mouth.

The girl was said to have been threatening suicide for some time. She was twenty-two years old, and lived at 2505 M street northwest.

## Husband Right, Says Mrs. Glynn



Wife of Acting Governor Martin H. Glynn, of New York, Is a Staunch Supporter of Her Husband. She Says He Wouldn't Be in the Fight If He Wasn't Sure That He Was in the Right.

## OLD RESIDENT OF DISTRICT IS DEAD

Henry Johnson, Ninety-three  
Years of Age, Resided in  
Georgetown All His Life.

Henry Johnson, ninety-three years old, and a resident of the District of Columbia during his entire life, is dead at his home in Georgetown, following a paralytic stroke, suffered last Tuesday. Born in 1820 in a house that stood near where the Virginia end of the aqueduct now is, he moved to this side of the Potomac in 1838 and lived in Georgetown until his death. At that time the District of Columbia embraced what is now Alexandria county, Va.

Besides his second wife, whom he married thirty-six years ago, two sons survive, both by his first marriage. They are William Johnson, of 1319 Thirty-fourth street northwest, and Frederick Johnson, of 1315 Thirty-fourth street northwest, the latter address also having been the home of the deceased for the last twenty-six years. Eight grandchildren and more than twenty great-grandchildren also are living.

For the greater part of his life Mr. Johnson was a butcher in Georgetown, but in 1885 he entered the Government service in the Navy Yard, being what was then called an "artificial carpenter" and using his skill in the construction of the wooden ships of that day.

He built himself a house on the island near the Navy Yard, but when he left the Government service a few years later he sold it and bought another place in Georgetown.

For the last twelve years he has not been in active business, having turned the market over to his son, William, but when the chores around his own house were done he usually found a place to be repaired or a flower bed to be tended in a neighbor's yard and only three weeks before his death he chopped several armloads of firewood.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at his late residence at 2 o'clock.

## MRS. A. B. JOHNSON.

Mrs. Amanda B. Johnson, seventy-four years old, died suddenly yesterday afternoon, being stricken while riding on a street car near the Union Station and dying while being taken to the Casualty Hospital in an ambulance.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at her daughter, Mrs. John Stewart, 1008 Park road northwest, with whom she had been living for the last five years. Mrs. Johnson was a native of Jacksonville, Fla., and lived there until the death of her husband in 1897. He was buried in Arlington Cemetery, having served in the Confederate army, and it is probable that the body of Mrs. Johnson will be laid beside that of her husband on Wednesday.

## CAMERON HENRY BROWN.

The body of Cameron Henry Brown, twenty years old, who died early yesterday at the home of his parents, Capt. and Mrs. Austin H. Brown, 1353 Shepherd street northwest, was sent to Marietta, Ohio, today for burial. Mr. Brown was the oldest of several children, and formerly lived in Marietta.

## MRS. SARAH CHICHESTER.

Mrs. Sarah Ellen Dulany Chichester, ninety-three years old, widow of the late Major John H. Chichester, died last night at her home in McLean, Fairfax county, Va. She was a daughter of Daniel Dulany and a granddaughter of Commodore Thomas T. Tingey, U. S. N. Six daughters survive her, all of whom were with her when she died. They are the Misses Etta and May Chichester, Mrs. James M. Mason, Mrs. Sarah D. Loving, Mrs. Douglass Mackall and Mrs. John C. Davidson. Funeral services will be held in the old Falls Church tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

## SENATORS DISCUSS ELECTION METHOD

Tangle Over Seating of Clayton  
Leads to Consideration of  
Another Plan.

Complications in the case of Congressman Clayton, appointed Senator from Alabama, have led the Senate Committee on Privileges and Elections to consider a favorable report on a bill providing for the holding of Senatorial elections in the States under Federal control until such time as the legislatures are enabled to meet and make provision for elections under State control.

A subcommittee headed by Senator Walsh is considering a measure of this kind. Senator Poinsett introduced one some days ago.

If such Federal legislation existed, such a situation as the one in the Clayton case would be impossible. The legislatures have been slow to act and many Senators think the need of provision for Senatorial elections should be temporarily bridged by Federal enactment.

Hearings on the Clayton case will begin Wednesday night before the priviledges and elections committee. Members of Democratic Senators are working to get the credentials of Clayton forced through the Senate, but the opposition, even among the Democrats, especially among the ablest lawyers of the Democratic side, is so strong that they are not likely to succeed. Back of Clayton is former Senator Joseph W. Bailey, a close friend of Clayton and his adviser in this juncture. Reactionary political elements in Congress and in Alabama are doing their utmost to get Clayton seated in order to handicap Hobson in the Senatorial contest in Alabama.

## Alleged Race Suicide Gang Trained by Police

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 25.—Claiming positive evidence of a race suicide gang, and declaring arrests of a doctor, several nurses, and others would follow probably today, Coroner Detective Frank Paul expected today to reveal the details of a group of men and women who amassed thousands of dollars by performing illegal operations.

Investigations into the traffic came to a climax recently when Miss Meredith Dukes, of Shelbyville, Del., died at the home of Miss Mae Simmons, a trained nurse, now held on the charge of causing the young woman's death by an illegal operation. According to detectives, Miss Simmons managed four apartments, and it is alleged that procurers sent women to these apartments. Police say the price for a "fix" was at least four years, and they estimate an average of several hundred dead babies a year.

## Think "Wild Man" Could Not Be Hermit Artist

SPENCER, Me., Aug. 25.—Joseph Knowles, artist, who plunged into the Maine woods three weeks ago, naked and without weapons, to prove that a man is still primitively efficient, could not have grown six inches of hair since his disappearance, guides around Horse Pond claimed today.

Wilbur Martin, of Springfield, Mass., reported he had seen a half-naked man, whose hair was long, stare at him wildly from a clump of bushes, then dart away through the forest. The guides claim there is no "wild man" now in this vicinity, and that it would be impossible for the artist, nearly hairless three weeks ago, to have had reaching to his shoulders.

## "Death Valley" Scott Declares He's Defamed

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 25.—Charging that his character has been defamed, Walter Scott, known as "Death Valley" Scott, has brought suit for \$50,000 damages against the Los Angeles Chamber of Mines and Oil, Russ Avery, E. E. Vermilyea, W. C. Kennedy and G. M. Hohlstedt. Scott bases his action upon a recent bulletin issued by the Chamber of Mines and Oil, in which reference was made to his property and business tactics.

## HORSE SHOW IS WELL ATTENDED

Colt Association Has Big List of Entries for Thirty Classes.  
Annual Fair at Rockville Opens Tomorrow and Will  
Continue Through Friday.

ROCKVILLE, Md., Aug. 25.—Several thousand persons from this and adjoining counties, the District of Columbia and elsewhere are attending the second annual exhibition of the Montgomery County Horse and Colt Show Association, which is being held on the farm of Benton G. Ray, near Coleville, today.

Starting as an experiment last year, the first show was such a gratifying success that those interested decided to make it a fixture, and the show this year is on a much larger scale than the opening exhibition.

About thirty classes are on the program to be shown, the cash prizes aggregating \$1,000. Three speed contests are also scheduled.

The officers of the association are: Benton G. Ray, president; vice president, Dr. William T. Brown; secretary, Andrew J. Cummings; treasurer, E. Lloyd Fawcett; manager, George F. Bonant; executive committee, Charles Kengia, George F. Bonant, G. Rust Canby, George B. Edwards, Robert D. Curran, and Frank B. Swartz; honorary vice presidents, William H. McCreary, Henry C. Chas. Judge Alfred C. Tolson, Hazel W. Cassell, John Bonifant, George Windham, Edward P. Marlowe, Lacey Shaw, Douglas M. Landford, Gordon G. Ray, and Capt. William S. Covert.

Montgomery county's big event—the Rockville fair—will begin tomorrow morning and continue through Friday. After several weeks of hard work on the part of President Jones, Secretary Hogley and the other managers, everything is in ship shape, and a highly successful exhibition is looked for.

Among the attractions that have been provided are eighteen running races and one harness event, a horse and colt show, two motorcycle races each Wednesday and Thursday afternoon, numerous sidehows and nearly everything else usually seen at district fairs.

In addition, there will be the usual displays of farm and garden products, domestic manufactures of all kinds, works of art, fruits, flowers, cattle, sheep, hogs, farming implements, automobiles, poultry, etc.

The horse show is expected to be the leading feature. It will begin Wednesday morning and continue through Thursday and Friday. Blair Johnson, who is in charge, declares it will be one of the best. More than a hundred classes will be shown, the prizes aggregating about \$3,000.

List of Entrants.  
Among those who have entered their horses are Julian Morris, of Kewick, Va.; Bowles Brothers, of Millwood, Va.; Heathland Farms and Homewood

## Denies Permission for Habeas Corpus Action

Permission to file habeas corpus proceedings in forma pauperis in behalf of John Jackson, a colored lad, an inmate of the National Training School, was denied by Justice Wright in the District Supreme Court.

Attorney Walter P. Plumley made the application as a result of the ruling of Judge Latimer, of Juvenile Court, who held the lad had been improperly sentenced, as his predecessor had no right to fine him \$50 and make the alternative more than one year's confinement in the reform school. The boy was given the alternative of serving time until he reached his majority if he did not pay the fine, and Judge Latimer reduced the sentence to one year, Justice Wright refused to permit institution of habeas corpus proceedings without prepayment of costs.

## Suffragettes' Hero Receives Neckties

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—Alfred H. Brown, will start a tour of the State tonight as a representative of the Men's League for Woman's Suffrage, and to show that they appreciate his efforts the women this afternoon presented him with a "going-away" costume.

Brown attended four suffrage teas and at each was given a new necktie. One is blue and white, another yellow and black, a third of white satin, embroidered in yellow with "votes for women," and the fourth, the crowning creation, is of purple, green, and white.

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**\$12.50**



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These are of imported ratine, French linen, eponge, Dresden crepes, allover embroidery, and shadow lace. One-piece and coat effects, in Paris and London styles, as seen today at the fashionable seashore and mountain resorts. Models for all phases of women of 34 to 44 bust measure, and misses of 14 to 20 years of age.

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Six Dinner Forks	50c	One Soup Ladle	\$1.19
Six Dessert Forks	42c	One Punch Ladle	\$2.19
Six Orange Spoons	71c	One Pickle Fork	25c
Six Oyster Forks	76c	One Butter Knife	25c
Six Butter Spreaders	50c	One Sugar Shell	25c
Six Bouillon Spoons	\$1.22	Coffee Set, 14 pieces	\$2.19
Six Coffee Spoons	52c	Cream Set, 5 pieces	50c
One Salad Spoon	61c	One Salad Spoon	30c
One Cold Meat Fork	30c	Butter Knives	15c
One Cream Ladle	42c	Pickle Forks	15c
Dinner Knives, set of 6	90c	Child's Knife, Fork, and Spoon	24c

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